Mountain Weather Forecast

Eryri (Snowdonia) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 08 Aug 2024 until 23:59 on Friday 09 Aug 2024

Forecast Issued on Thursday 08 Aug 2024 at 01:19

Confidence: High to end the working week. Lower into the weekend.

Headline for Thursday 08 Aug 2024: An overcast, wet and windy day.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 08 Aug 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Medium Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** High Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** High Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability					
>95%	>95%	>95%	>95%	90%	80%

Forecast for Thursday 08 Aug 2024

Weather: Persistent and occasionally heavy rain for much of the day, especially on western slopes. Low cloud covering the summits and strong south-westerly winds reaching close to gale force.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: <10% by day, with the best of any breaks in the east of the park.

Low Cloud and visibility: Cloud lowering to 300-400m by day, locally lower for some exposed western slopes. Some very poor visibility at height and visibilities generally moderate at lower levels given fairly persistent rain.

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Ground Conditions Supplement
Please see - https://yrwyddfa.live/
Issued at: 01:19 on Thu 08 Aug 2024

Forecast for Thursday 08 Aug 2024

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)				Wind Direction (blowing from)		
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	28/34 S	34/42 S	34/43 SW	37/48 SW	34/44 SW	32/41 SW	32/41 W
600	22/28 S	24/32 S	25/34 SW	26/36 SW	24/33 SW	21/29 SW	23/32 W
300	14/23 S	17/28 S	17/29 SW	17/31 SW	17/30 SW	14/27 SW	16/28 W
Valley	14/23 S	17/30 S	16/28 S	16/29 SW	16/28 SW	15/27 SW	15/28 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	11/6	12/6	13/8	13/7	13/7	12/8	12/7
600	12/9	13/9	15/10	15/10	14/10	14/10	13/10
300	14/12	15/12	16/14	16/13	16/13	15/13	15/12
Valley	15/13	16/14	17/15	17/15	17/14	16/14	16/14
Freezing Level*	3100m	3300m	3500m	3700m	3700m	3200m	2600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View
A very windy, wet day on the hills. Care and appropriate equipment should be taken if venturing to higher ground despite the generally mild feel.

Forecast for Friday 09 Aug 2024
Weather: A drier, brighter day as rain clears overnight into Friday. Still breezy however and the odd shower is possible.

Maximum wind: WSW'ly 30-35mph gusting 40-45mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 30% overnight, improving to 90% through the day.

Low Cloud and visibility: Patchy cloud continuing to shroud the highest tops overnight but lifting and clearing by day, generally above all summits. Visibilities becoming good or very good.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 13 rising to 17 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 8 rising to 11 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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